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In re patent application of:

Jashawant J. Modi)
SER. NO: 08/992,150)
FILED: December 17, 1997) ART UNIT: 1617
FOR: Hydrophobically Modified Polysaccharide))
In Household Preparations) EXAMINER: E.J. Webman
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Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the Official Action dated December 13, 2000, please amend
the above-entitled application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 7, in line 6, amend the word "viscositying" to --viscosifying--.

IN THE CLAIMS

Amend claim 19 to read as follows:

--19, (Amended) A liquid soap product comprising industrial grade soap
actives and an effective amount of the household composition of claim 7.--

In claim 14, amend the word "viscositying" to read -- viscosifying--.